

IN THE CAPEED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Inventor(s) : Hideo Igami et al.

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For : OBJECT TILT AND FALL DETECTION APPARATUS

Examiner : John Alexander Tweel, Jr.

Group Art Unit : 2612

RESPONSE TO EX PARTE QUAYLE ACTION

The Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 28, 2006

Dear Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the *Ex parte Quayle* action mailed September 28, 2006. The *Ex parte Quayle* action mailed September 28, 2006, set forth a two-month period for response, and a petition for a one-month extension of time is attached hereto, making this response due on or before December 28, 2006.

Specification amendments begin on page 2 of this paper.

Drawing amendments are described on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.